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TO AMEMBASSY MONROVIA

AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

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SUBJECT: PEACE CORPS INVITATION TO DR. ROBERT GARDINER, ECA  
TO ADDRESS ANNUAL PEACE CORPS AND AFRICA DIRECTORS' CON-  
FERENCE

1. PEACE CORPS/AFRICA REGION WILL HOLD ANNUAL COUNTRY  
DIRECTOR'S CONFERENCE IN MONROVIA FROM SEPTEMBER 9-14.
2. ONE THEME OF THE CONFERENCE WILL BE HOW PEACE CORPS  
CAN PARTICIPATE MORE CLOSELY IN AFRICA'S DEVELOPMENT  
PROCESS. IN THIS CONNECTION, PEACE CORPS PROPOSES TO  
INVITE DR. ROBERT GARDINER OF THE ECA TO ADDRESS THEIR  
GROUP. THE SCHEDULING OF HIS TALK CAN BE ARRANGED AT  
HIS CONVENIENCE ALTHOUGH PEACE CORPS WOULD WANT HIM TO MEET  
PEACE CORPS COUNTRY DIRECTORS AND WASHINGTON REPRESENTA-  
TIVES AT AN EVENING RECEPTION.

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3. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING EMBASSY

MONROVIA VIEWS ON PROPOSED GARDINER'S INVITATION.

4. IF EMBASSY MONROVIA HAS NO OBJECTION, PC WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY ADDIS ABABA INVITING DR. GARDINER ON ITS BEHALF. DEPARTMENT SUGGESTS THAT GARDINER BE APPROACHED THROUGH FRANK PINDER IF HE IS AVAILABLE, SINCE HE COULD BE HELPFUL WITH THE INVITATION.

5. APPROPRIATE INVITATION WILL BE POUCHED UPON FORMAL ACCEPTANCE FROM DR. GARDINER. PC WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DR. GARDINER'S AIRFARE AND TWO DAYS OF PER DIEM. DUE TO THE SHORT LEAD TIME, PROMPT REPLY WILL BE APPRECIATED.  
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